

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q63866

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Appln. No.: 09/965,890

Group Art Unit: 2629

Confirmation No.: 3508

Examiner: Kimnhung T. NGUYEN

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For: MEDICAL IMAGE DISPLAY SYSTEM

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
December 29, 2008:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) has not yet been received.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None.
2. Identification of claims discussed: 1-6, 8-11, 13-18, 20-24, 27-28, 31-33
3. Identification of art discussed: Watanabe, Mayer
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: None.
5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: The cited art does not disclose, teach, or fairly suggest the claimed features.
6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: None.

7. Results of Interview: No agreement reached on the independent claims. The Examiner admitted that she did not consider the separate arguments for the dependent claims presented in the Amendment filed June 17, 2008, and stated that she would consider these arguments if they were presented again.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,

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